

Church Office Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – noon

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Day off: Friday

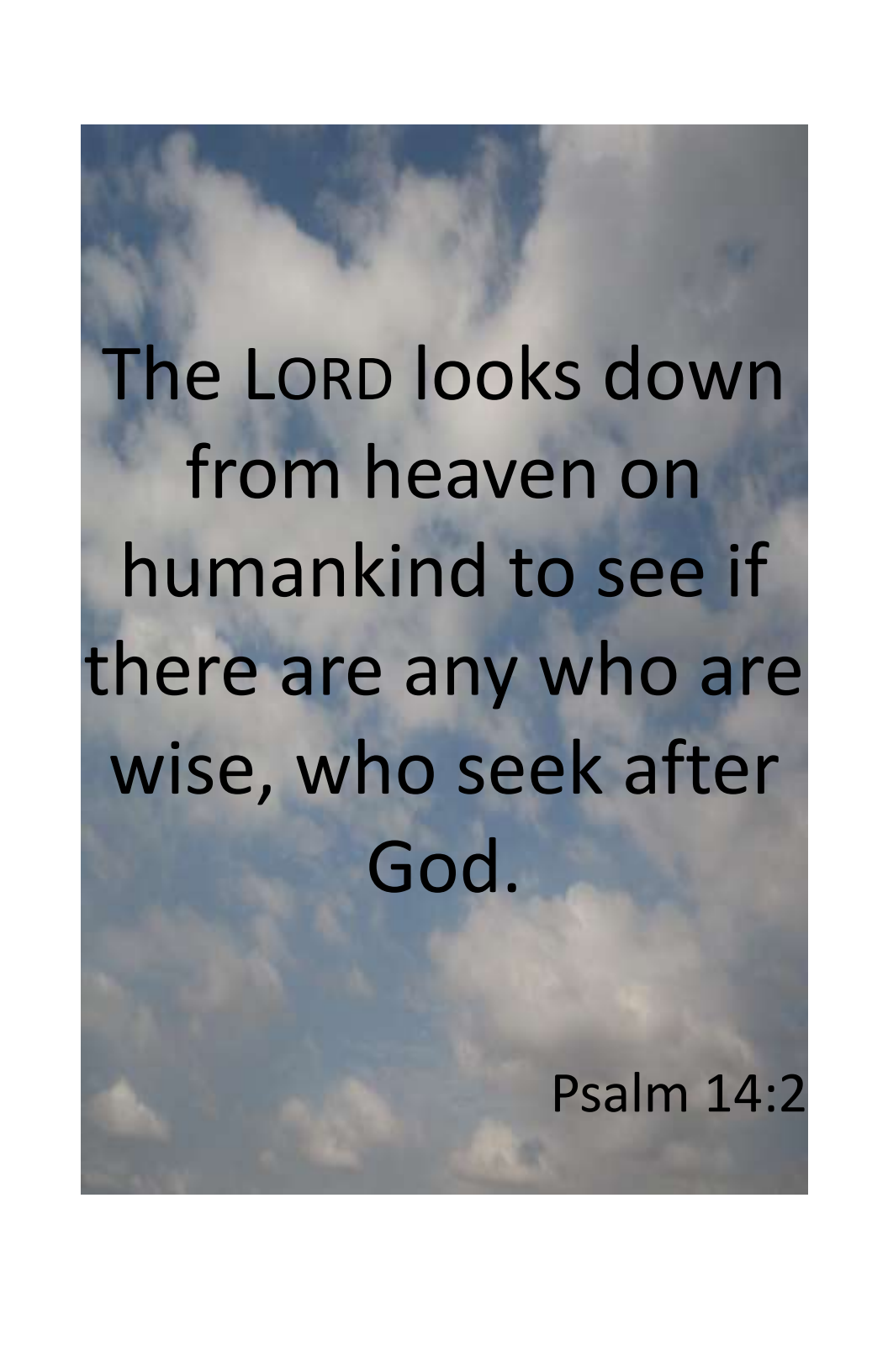
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Day off: Tuesday

For pastoral care needs during non-office hours, listen to the office voicemail greeting at 620-345-8320.





The LORD looks down
from heaven on
humankind to see if
there are any who are
wise, who seek after
God.

Psalm 14:2

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Moundridge, Kansas
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Thy Symphony of Scripture
Year of the Bible Week 20

Pre-Worship Music Brenda Dalke

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Lee

Hymn HWB 1 *What is this place*

Gift of Music *How Firm a Foundation* Men's Chorus
Becky Clark, director; DeLonna Barnett, accompanist

Time with Children/Penny Power Shayna Smith

Offering/Offertory

Please give your coins for the Penny Collection to one of the children

Gift of Music *My Lord, What a Morning* Men's Chorus

Commissioning and Prayer for New Roles Pastors Lee and Derek

Hymn STJ 13 *My soul is filled with joy*

Scripture Reading 1 Kings 3:3-15 Pastor Derek

Message "With Great Power..." Pastor Derek

Prayers of the People

***Benediction**

Sending Song STJ 74 *Now go in peace*

Percussion: Derek King, Jacob Ewy

Postlude

HWB – Hymnal a *Worship Book* (blue book); STS - *Sing the Story* (purple book);
STJ - *Sing the Journey* (green book)

*Please stand if able.



The peace lamp is lit as a reminder that we should be in prayer for an end to violence in the world. We trust in the power of prayer, as we know that through prayer, all things are possible.

Welcome to worship in the name of God the Father, his beloved Son, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, who descended as a dove at Jesus' baptism.
May we all sense God's touch today.

If you are a visitor, we encourage you to fill out a visitor card found next to the hymnals and drop it in the offering plate.



A nursery is available for small children. Please ask an usher to direct you. Thank you to Teresa and Dennis Graber for caring for children in the nursery this morning.

Mennonite Men will meet at the front of the sanctuary for a short meeting after the service this morning.

The Penny collection will begin this Sunday for the MCC sale on April 17 and 18, 2015. Please bring your coins for the collection during the offering each Sunday. The children will collect the coins during the offering.

All are invited to the Kansas Mennonite Disaster Service Annual State Meeting: Sunday, Jan 18 at 2:00 p.m. at Hesston Mennonite Church, 309 S. Main St., Hesston. Come join us for the annual meeting as we review activities from the last year and share highlights from the projects in our region. Refreshments to follow. Questions? Contact Jordan Miller at 316-212-3246 or Jordan@millerconstruction.org.

The Education/Discipleship Commission is looking for a Moundridge Community Bible School representative. Please see Katie Gillmore or any member of the Education/Discipleship Commission if interested.

Mennonite Central Committee has created a new Sunday school curriculum! This is a good curriculum for small groups to use for a quarter. Check it out: <http://mcc.org/stories/peace-churches-veterans-new-sunday-school-curriculum>

The call system experienced some problems last Sunday when church was cancelled. The company thinks they have isolated the problem and corrected it. A test call will go out this afternoon. If you don't get the call, please contact Becky at the church office 345-8320. You may leave a message on voicemail if it is after hours.

Eden This Week

Sunday	9:30 a.m. Worship service 10:30 a.m. Fellowship time 10:40 a.m. Sunday school
Monday	7:00 p.m. Worship Commission mtg. at church office
Tuesday	7:00 p.m. Eden Leadership Team (ELT) mtg. at church
Wednesday	6:00 p.m. Supper 6:45 p.m. Service Project Night 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Mixed Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
Thursday	All items for Jan/Feb <i>Eden Echoes</i> due in the church office

Looking Ahead

Jan 14	6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Mixed Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
Jan 15	All end of year reports due in the Eden Church Office
Jan 16-22:	Pastor Derek out of the office
Jan 21	6:45 p.m. Bible Study for all ages 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Mixed Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
Jan 21/28:	6:45 Bible Study 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus
Jan 29:	7:00 p.m. Deacons/Pastors mtg.
Feb 2:	7:00 p.m. Education/Discipleship Commission mtg.
Feb 3:	Noon—Mary Martha mtg. and program
Feb 4:	6:45 Service Project 7:30 p.m. Ladies Chorus 8:00 p.m. Chancel Choir 8:45 p.m. Men's Chorus

Last Sunday, Jan 4, 2015

(Services Cancelled due to weather)

Next Sunday, Jan 18, 2015

Nursery: Jerri & Warren Kaufman
Music: Chancel Choir
Children's Story: Laurie Schrag

Remember in Prayer

Edith Flickinger: on hospice care at The Cedars

Western District Conference: Pray God's blessing on our Texas pastors who met yesterday in Austin, Texas, around the theme, "Cultural Bridges and Borders," led by Associate Conference Minister, Gilberto Flores.

If you would like a printout of your giving for last year, please contact the church office 345-8320. Printouts will not be printed unless you request them.

Everyone is invited to a farewell service for Gilberto Flores, retiring WDC Associate Conference Minister, on January 18 at 5:00 pm at First Mennonite Church, Newton, KS.

Rural Ministry Seminar: The Mission of a Rural Congregation: AMBS-Kansas Center will host a Rural Ministry Seminar on Saturday, January 24 from 8 – noon at Whitestone Mennonite Church in Hesston, KS. This seminar is presented by S. Roy Kaufman and will explore the unique mission of the church in a rural context. This seminar will include lecture, case studies, discussion groups, and a catered lunch. Cost is \$39 per individual and \$100 per congregation (for an unlimited number) until Jan. 16. Registration costs after Jan. 16 will be an additional \$10. To register, please visit www.ambs.edu/ruralministry.

Two Course Offerings from AMBS-Kansas Center: This spring AMBS-Kansas Center will offer two courses: Thinking Ethically and Managing Differences in Faith Communities. Thinking Ethically is taught by Justin Heinzekehr and examines major approaches to the moral life that draws upon Scripture, Jesus, and Christian faith and theology. Managing Difference in Faith Communities is taught by Kirsten Zenger at KIPCOR. This course examines how to transform conflict into spiritual and community renewal. For more information on either of these courses, please contact kccoordinator@ambs.edu.

The 5th concert of the Prairie Window Concert Series, featuring Americana singer-songwriter [Nora Jane Struthers & The Party Line](#), will be Sunday, January 18 at 4:00 p.m. at the Dyck Arboretum of the Plains in Hesston. Join us for an evening of great music and good food in a prairie garden setting. Tickets: \$20 adults/\$10 kids, plus tax. Arboretum members receive 10% discount Call 620-327-8127 to reserve your seats.

Mennonite World Conference is coming to North America in 2015, and registration is open! At this reunion of Mennonites and Anabaptists from around the world, all ages are welcome. Join for a feast of fellowship, song, laughter and worship. Costs, lodging, schedule and other details are available at mwc-cmm.org/pa2015.

Today (Sun., Jan. 11) – The public is invited to a celebration for Rachel Pannabecker's 30 years of service to Kauffman Museum; 3:30 p.m. in the museum, including tributes, live music and refreshments.

Jan. 18-19 – Bethel College's annual celebration of the life and legacy of Martin Luther King, Jr. Sun., Jan. 18: excerpts from the documentary *Freedom Riders*, 3 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center; discussion follows with Dr. Gretchen Eick of Friends University and Dr. Galyn Vesey. Mon., Jan. 19: program with members of Bethel's Multicultural Student Union and keynote speaker Sarah Thompson, executive director of Christian Peacemaker Teams, 7 p.m., Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center

Sat., Jan. 31 – Annual Kansas Day celebration, on the theme of "Transportation," at Kauffman Museum, with expanded programming: 11 a.m., presentation by Amelia Earhart historical interpreter Ann Birney, Krehbiel Auditorium in Luyken Fine Arts Center (free); noon, special Kansas Day luncheon in Schultz Student Center cafeteria (ticket purchase required for all but children 4 and under); 1-4 p.m., craft and educational activities, vehicle display, in and around the museum (free). If interested in the luncheon, e-mail Andi Schmidt Andres at asa@bethelks.edu or call her Tues.-Fri. at 316-283-1612.

Mennonite Disaster Service (MDS) needs volunteers in the following areas: High River, Alberta: Assistant Cook (Jan 26-30), Crew Leader Jan 26-Feb.13); Crisfield, MD: Crew Leader (Jan 12-Feb 16); Pensacola, FL: Assistant Cook (Feb 7-28), Crew Leader (Feb 2-6); Jamestown, CO: Crew Leader (Jan 12-30), Office Manager (Feb 12-28); Far Rockaway, NY: Project Director: Feb 11-Mar 14), Construction Supervisor (Feb 6-28). For information about week-long volunteer opportunities, call (800) 241-8111 or e-mail ahurst@mds.mennonite.net.

All are invited to *Lead Me, Guide Me* An Epiphany Festival at Trinity Lutheran Church, at the corner of E. Kansas Ave. & Elm St. in McPherson. The event will be held at 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan 11 with a prelude by McPherson Community Brass Choir. Freewill offering supports Omega Project of McPherson.

Additions to the Angel Tree Memorials are:

People Remembered

Dan & Viola Kaufman
Elda Kaufman
Willie & Marie Klingenberg
Gilbert & Vida Schrag
LaVerne Schrag
Sarah Schrag
Gerald Schrag
Orlin & Luella Schrag
William Schrag
Herb & Edna Stucky
Erland Stucky
Leonard Stucky

Remembered by

Herb and Denise Stucky
Jake and Esther Schrag
Jake and Esther Schrag
Jake and Esther Schrag
Jake and Esther Schrag
Jake and Esther Schrag
Wayne and Kathy Ensz
Wayne and Kathy Ensz
Maxine Schrag and Family
Herb & Denise Stucky
Herb & Denise Stucky
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